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**MEMORANDUM FOR: Military Representative to the President**

**SUBJECT : Forecast of CIA Aerial Reconnaissance  
Activities for August 1961**

1. Attached is a listing of planned CIA aerial reconnaissance activities for the month of August 1961. A supplement to this summary covering special activities will be submitted under separate cover.

2. It should be noted that during the month of July  missions were accomplished as forecast. Although four IDEALIST (Cuba) missions were forecast, it was determined by continuing review that only one flight was required. It was flown on 29 July.

*(Signature)*  
**RICHARD M. BISSELL, Jr.**  
Deputy Director

**Attachment**  
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**Signature Recommended:**

*(Signed)* Stanley W. Beerli

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FORECAST OF CIA AERIAL RECONNAISSANCE ACTIVITIES FOR AUGUST 1961

<u>PROJECT</u>	<u>VEHICLE</u>	<u>DATE *</u>	<u>COUNTRY</u>	<u>APPROVED BY</u>	<u>DATE APPROVAL</u>
IDEALIST	U-2	16 August **	Cuba	Special Group	11 May 1961
IDEALIST	U-2	30 August	Cuba	Special Group	11 May 1961

\* Dates are tentative and subject to change because of weather or other operational considerations.

\*\* Each mission will be reviewed by CINCLANT, the COMOR, and DD/P prior to the launching of a subsequent mission, to insure that additional coverage is in fact required.